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INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTAN	IT whose opinion is contain	ned in this report*	
EisnerAmper, LLP			
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# US ARMA PARTNERS, LP STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION MARCH 31, 2015



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# REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the General Partner of US Arma Partners, LP

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of US Arma Partners, LP (the "Company") as of March 31, 2015. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of US Arma Partners, LP as of March 31, 2015, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

EionerAmper LLP

San Francisco, California May 27, 2015

# US ARMA PARTNERS, LP Statement of Financial Condition <u>March 31, 2015</u>

#### Assets

Cash	\$ 2,353,491
Accounts receivable	24,048
Accounts receivable from affiliate, net	575,418
Deposits	2,882
Other current assets	48,150
Fixed assets, net	133,407
Total assets	\$ 3,137,396
Liabilities and Partners' Capital	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 137,286
Distribution payable to withdrawn partner	68,250
Bonus payable	1,345,146
Total liabilities	1,550,682
	1,330,002
Subordinated borrowings	750,000
	720,000
Partners' capital	836,714
Total liabilities and partners' capital	\$ 3,137,396
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## 1. <u>Business and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies</u>

#### **Business**

US Arma Partners, LP (the "Partnership") is a Delaware limited partnership formed in 2006. The Partnership is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") as a fully disclosed securities broker-dealer and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA"). The Partnership is subject to various governmental rules and regulations including the Net Capital Rule set forth in Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Arma Partners, LLC serves as the general partner of the Partnership. All limited partners of the Partnership are also the members of Arma Partners, LLP ("UK Arma or Affiliate"), a United Kingdom-based limited liability partnership formed in March 2004. UK Arma is a broker-dealer regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority in the United Kingdom. Arma Partners, LLC does not have any capital balance in the Partnership.

#### <u>Cash</u>

Cash consists of cash in deposit accounts and a money market savings account with two commercial banks which at times may exceed federally insured limits. The Partnership has not experienced any losses in such accounts.

#### Accounts Receivable, net

Accounts receivable are recorded at the invoiced amount and do not bear interest. To the extent deemed necessary, the Company maintains an allowance for estimated losses from the inability of clients to make required payments. The collectability of outstanding invoices is continually assessed. In estimating the allowance, the Company considers factors such as historical collections, a client's current creditworthiness, age of the receivable balance and general economic conditions that may affect a client's ability to pay. During the year, \$396,965 of previous bad debt written of was recovered and included within revenue.

#### **Fixed Assets**

Fixed assets are stated at cost and are depreciated using the straight-line method over estimated useful lives of three to five years.

# 1. <u>Business and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies</u> (continued)

#### Income Taxes

The Partnership elects to be treated as a pass-through entity for all relevant jurisdictions and therefore files informational income tax returns which attribute taxable income and taxes paid, if any, to the partners. Management has concluded that the Partnership is not subject to income taxes in any jurisdiction and that there are no uncertain tax positions that would require recognition in the financial statements. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes is reflected in the accompanying financial statements. If the Partnership were to incur an income tax liability in the future, interest on any income tax liability would be reported as interest expense and penalties on any income tax liability would be reported as income taxes.

Management's conclusions regarding uncertain tax positions may be subject to review and adjustment at a later date based upon ongoing analyses of tax laws, regulations and interpretations thereof as well as other factors. With few exceptions, the Partnership is no longer subject to examination by tax authorities for years before 2010.

#### Use of Estimates

The process of preparing financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the use of estimates and assumptions regarding certain types of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses. Such estimates primarily relate to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statements. Accordingly, upon settlement, actual results may differ from estimated amounts.

# <u>Translation of Foreign Currencies</u>

The books and records of the Partnership are maintained in U.S. dollars. Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates of exchange prevailing at the date of the statement of financial condition.

#### 2. Indemnification

The Partnership enters into contracts that contain a variety of indemnifications for which the maximum exposure is unknown. The Partnership has no current claims or losses pursuant such contracts.

### 3. Fixed Assets, net

Fixed assets, net consists of the following:

Computer and office equipment	\$239,634
Furniture	<u>61,799</u>
	301,433
Accumulated depreciation	(168,026)
Fixed assets, net	\$133,407

## 4. <u>Net Capital Requirements</u>

The Partnership is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At March 31, 2015, the Partnership had net capital of \$802,810, which was \$699,431 in excess of its required net capital of \$103,379. The Partnership's net capital ratio was 1.9316 to 1.

# 5. <u>Lease Obligation</u>

On April 27, 2012, the Partnership renewed its lease agreement to extend the period of lease until May 31, 2015. The Partnership intends to further renew this lease agreement to May 31, 2016. Future minimum lease payments under this lease are as follows:

Year Ending March 31	
2016	249,525
2017	30,604
Total	<u>\$280,129</u>

### 6. Related Party Transactions

The Partnership is party to an expense-sharing agreement with UK Arma, under which the Partnership is responsible for a portion of direct and indirect costs incurred in the provision of support services. The direct and indirect costs include a proportion of the office costs and supplies, marketing, legal, professional, and wages of the financial and administrative staff incurred by UK Arma that relate to providing the services to the partnership in accordance with the agreement.

The agreement also provides for the Partnership to reimburse UK Arma for any direct costs and time spent by UK Arma staff and members for performing any services on behalf of the Partnership. The agreement also provides for the Partnership to reimburse UK Arma for the services of consultants who are independent contractors of UK Arma for performing any services on behalf of the Partnership. Similarly, UK Arma also reimburses the Partnership for time spent by the Partnership's staff and partners or for the services of consultants engaged by US Arma for performing any services on behalf of UK Arma.

At March 31, 2015, the Partnership had a net receivable from the affiliate of \$575,418 representing the net amounts due to and due from UK Arma for services provided or received and amounts payable in accordance with the expense sharing agreement.

# 7. <u>Subordinated Borrowings</u>

The subordinated notes payable of \$750,000 bear interest of 4 percent. The interest is payable at the end of the loan term. The remains are unsecured and subordinated to other creditors.

The subordinated borrowings are with related parties and are available in computing the net capital under the SEC's uniform net capital rule. To the extent that such borrowings are required for the Partnership's continued compliance with minimum net capital requirements, they may not be repaid. It is the Partnership's intention not to renew the subordinated borrowings of \$500,000 due on September 19, 2015 and \$250,000 due on October 31, 2015. The approximate fair value of subordinated borrowings is \$750,000 as at March 31, 2015.

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